Manual Driver Installation Instructions:

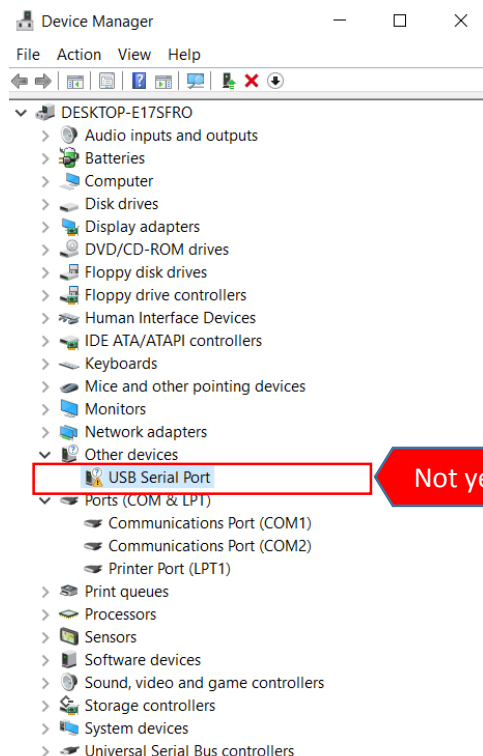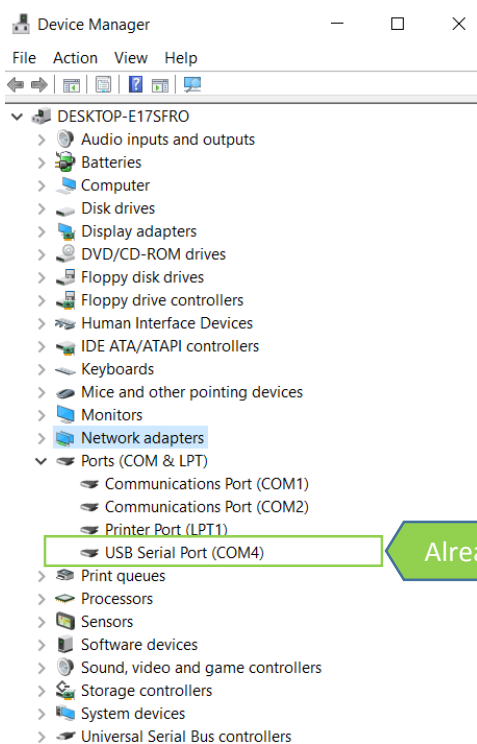**Equipment required**

1. Force Gauge DFS.

2. USB Cable.

Before Installing the USB driver:

- Connect the Nextech gauge to the computer via the mini USB cable.
- Power-up the Nextech gauge and wait a moment for Windows to recognize the new hardware device.
  - If the computer is connected to the Internet, Windows might attempt to locate the most recent drivers for the hardware.
- Check the status of installation by going to Device Manager.

*You can access Device Manager through the Windows Control Panel or by Pressing + R key and typing "devmgmt.msc" in the Run dialog box.
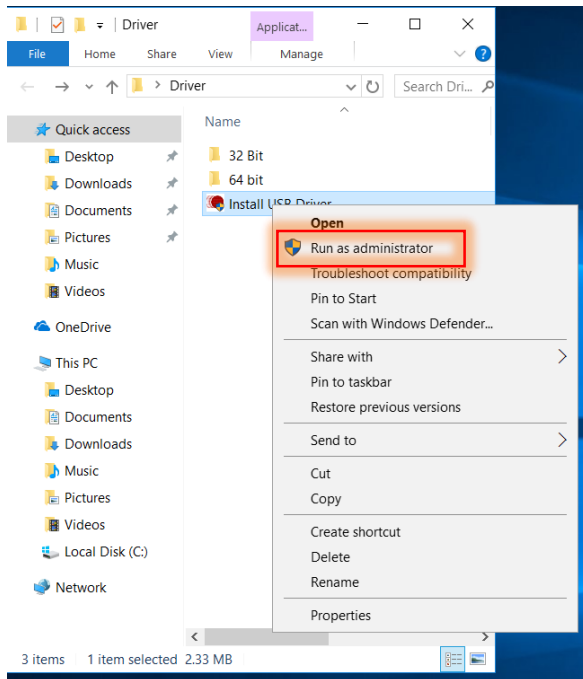
(Windows Device Manager illustrated in the picture below)

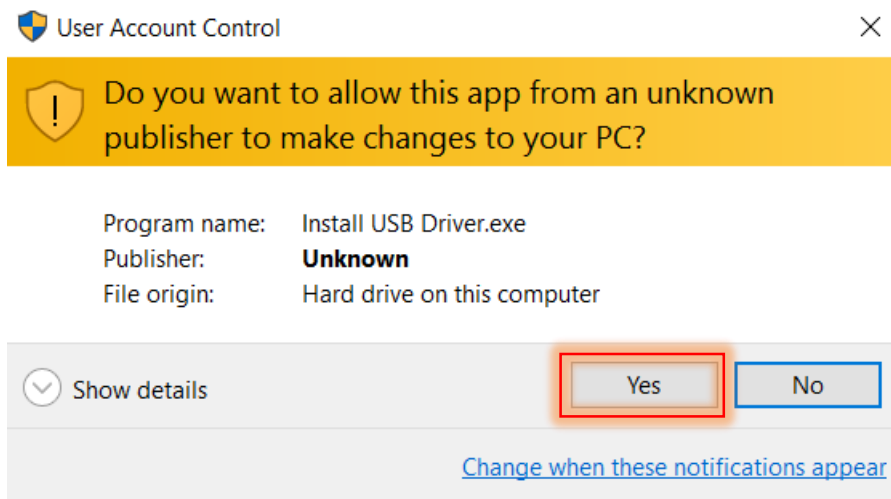*The assigned COM port number, "USB Serial Port (COM4)", may not be the same for each computer.

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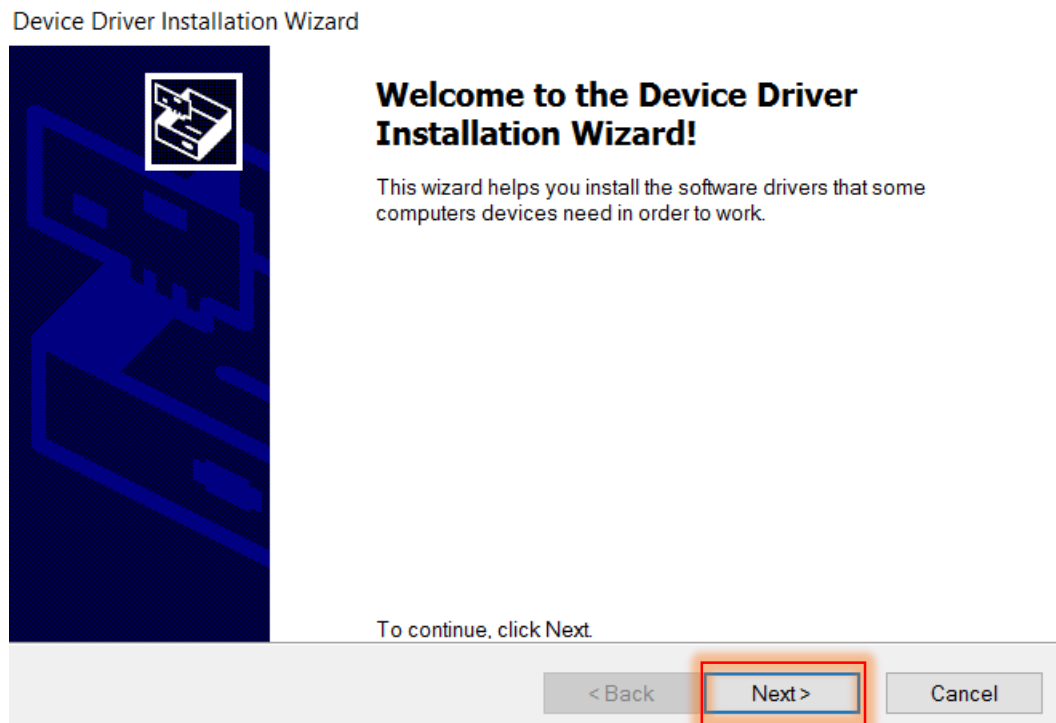1**. Right click** on "Install USB Driver" and choose "Run as administrator".

2. Click "Yes".

3. Click "Extract".

4. Click "Next".

5. Select "I accept this agreement" and click "Next".

Device Driver Installation Wizard

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6. Wait for the Device Driver Installation Wizard to successfully complete.

Device Driver Installation Wizard

The drivers are now installing...
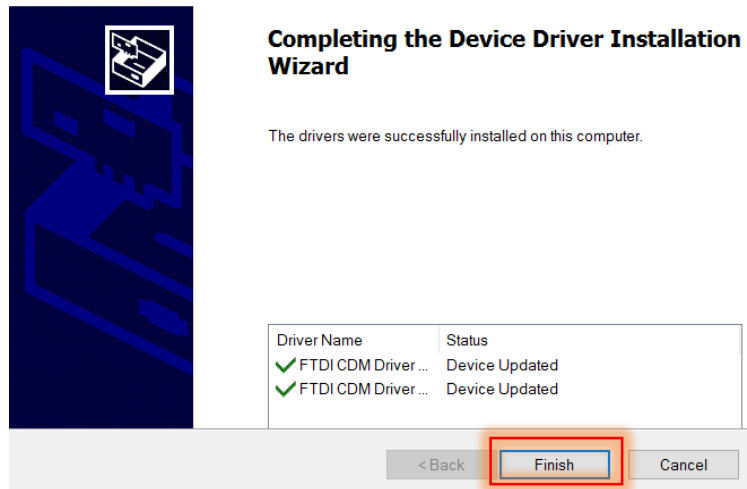
Please wait while the drivers install. This may take some time to complete.

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7. Installation completed.

Device Driver Installation Wizard

Completing the Device Driver Installation Wizard

The drivers were successfully installed on this computer.

Driver Name	Status
✔ FTDI CDM Driver ...	Device Updated
✔ FTDI CDM Driver ...	Device Updated

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8. With your Nextech gauge connected to the computer and powered on, you can now verify proper installation and functioning of the USB driver by accessing Windows Device Manager. (See illustration below.)

*You can access Device Manager through the Windows Control Panel or by Pressing [⊞] + R key and typing "devmgmt.msc" in the Run dialog box.

Device Manager   — ☐ ✕

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